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SUBJECT: FUTURE CONSTRUCTION: VISIT OF FREDERIC R. HARRIS CORP

REF: (A) SANTO DOMINGO A-003, JANUARY 4, 1974

(B) SANTO DOMINGO 4765, NOVEMBER 21, 1973

(C) SANTO DOMINGO A-051, APRIL 20, 1973

(D) SANTO DOMINGO 4997, DECEMBER 7, 1973

(E) STATE 246220, DECEMBER 18, 1973

(F) SANTO DOMINGO 5207, DECEMBER 27, 1973

1. IMRE L. GULYAS, VP OF FREDERIC R. HARRIS ENGINEERING VISITED SANTO DOMINGO JANUARY 4 TO DISCUSS THREE MAJOR CONSULTING/ CONSTRUCTION OPPORTUNITIES. HARRIS IS ASSOCIATED WITH G. J. GODREAU ASSOCIATES, SAN JUAN, FOR WORK IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.

2. CENTRAL BANK TOURISM PROJECTS: GULYAS MET WITH FRANCISCO CRUZ OF INFRATUR; HARRIS WAS RECOGNIZED AS OBVIOUSLY WELL QUALIFIED FOR THE CONSULTING CONTRACT. CRUZ ALSO INDICATED THAT HE WOULD PREFER THAT FIRM CHOSEN FOR COSTA DE AMBAR ASSUME SAME ROLE FOR THE COSTA CARIBE PROJECT ON THE SOUTH COAST; THIS WOULD DEPEND ON IDB APPROVAL (REFS B AND C).

3. DUARTE HIGHWAY: HARRIS HAS BEEN PRE-QUALIFIED BY THE SECRETARIAT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND COMMUNICATIONS. OTHER FIRMS PRE-QUALIFIED THUS FAR: TAMS (US); LAMARRE-VALOIS (CANADA); RESTREPO Y URIBE (COLOMBIA) AND FLAVIO ACARON Y ASOCIADOS

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(PUERTO RICO) REFS D AND E).

4. SANTO DOMINGO PARKING GARAGES: GULYAS LEFT A COMPREHENSIVE PACKAGE DESCRIBING HARRIS EXPERIENCE WITH PARKING GARAGE CONSTRUCTION. COMMERCIAL ATTACHE WILL PRESENT SOME TO SINDICO JUAN ESTRELLA ROJAS, WHO WAS NOT AVAILABLE ON THE 4TH. HARRIS IS ALSO ARRANGING TO BRING ESTRELLA TO STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT, WHERE FIRM HAS BUILT PARKING GARAGES, DURING HIS UPCOMING VISIT TO THE U.S. (REF F).

5. EMBASSY APPRECIATES MEPD EFFORTS IN ENCOURAGING HARRIS TO ACTIVELY COMPETE FOR THESE THREE PROJECTS. GULYAS HAS MADE A FIRST-CLASS IMPRESSION HERE.
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